

FINAL - Approved December 2022
CONNECTICUT EMS ADVISORY BOARD
November 21, 2022 at 0900 hours
Virtual Only

Board Members	J. Beaulieu (MIH), L. Bolton, M. Daniels, R. Glaspy, J. Paretzky I. Smith, R. Ziegler, F. Potter, K. McClaine (CEMSMAC), G. Allard, J. Quinlavin, D. Tompkins, J. Laucella (Regionalization), J. Gates, J. Spencer, S. Robinson, K. Ferrarotti (Education & Training), R. Guthrie
Non-Member Committee Chairs	C. Dunn (Data), M. Osborne (Education and Training), S. Gregg (Trauma), B. Morris (CMED)
Regional Council Presidents	W. Fitzmaurice (Region 2), M. Wilson (Region 4), D. Tauber (Region 3), F. Rosa (Region 5)
EMSC	M. Petrucelli
OEMS Staff:	J. Demers, K. Hickox, R. Calciano, R. Kamin (CEMSMAC), J. Reynolds, E. Little
Guests	K. Lindstrom, P. Canning, J. Santacroce, K. Reid, K Coupe, D. Laspino, L. Goodman, A. Mauro, W. Perez, L. Porciau, T. Schietinger, M. Turcio, J. Strickland, S. Conley, S. Martus, M. Letitia, R. Mara, P. Gannon, T. Martin
Board Chair	W. Schietinger

Meeting opened at 09:02

TOPIC	DISCUSSION LED BY:	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Moment of Silence for Lost EMS Providers	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For all public safety and healthcare workers lost this year 	None required.
Meeting Minutes from September 28, 2022	W. Schietinger		Motion to accept September 28, 2022 1 st I. Smith and 2 nd Lindstrom One abstain (Goodman) Motion passed.
Public comment		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No comments. 	
Presentation	Fairfield County Trauma Response Team, Karen Alter-Reid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Karen presented on the capabilities of the response team that provides education and treatment to first responders statewide. She provided an extensive explanation of the creation of traumatic memories. 	
Chair's Report	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Appointment for CT Fire Chief's Assoc – Chief William Perez Meeting with CCM Discussed how CCM and CEMSAB can collaborate in educating municipal leaders in what EMS is and how to support it. LE/EMS Interactions On Scene – Work going forward Dr. Kamin working with Chief Lindstrom and Chief Spera on this matter. 	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • List of “Duties and Goals” is required every January from each Committee 	
OEMS, written report submitted for October and November 2022	R. Calciano	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion of report • Review of E. Little report 	
EMSC Report	M. Petrucci	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMS-C just completed applying for the next 4-year grant funding, awaiting award. • Starting in Jan. 2023 requests for the annual EMSC EMS Survey for 2023 will be sent. 	None
Breakout Session		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	None required.
Committee Reports			
CEMSMAC	R. Kamin, October 2022 minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met this month • Approved initial IFT protocols 	
CMED and SIEC Committee	B. Morris, October minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interoperability plan in draft stage. CMED communications directory to be published for December meeting. 	None
Council of Regional Presidents (CORP)	W. Fitzmaurice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2022 EMS Awards were given on October 27 at EMS Pro Expo; went well, suggestions welcomed 	https://ctemsCouncils.org/
Data Committee	C. Dunn, September and October minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NEMSIS presented regarding schematron rules. Data committee requested that OEMS ask EPCR vendors to show end users data validation warnings to enhance collection of data. 	

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Education and Training Committee	M. Osborne, September minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lou Brockett retiring as chairman this year, continues to remain on committee. Scott Moratto – now President of Connecticut Association of EMS Instructors. New website underway. 	
Health and Wellness Committee	K. Ferrarotti, October and November minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peer support primary topic currently. 	
Legislative Committee	R. Glaspy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eight members of Public Health Committee have changed due to election 	
Mobile Integrated Healthcare Committee	J. Beaulieu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • M. Zacchera new MIH coordinator at DPH; vision for moving forward 	
Nominating and Membership Committee	J. Beaulieu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion as to whether annual or biannual reporting to the Commissioner on the chairman of the Board. • Discussion of bylaws to be reviewed 	
Regional Preparedness and Collaboration Committee	K. Ferrarotti, October and November minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMS Instructors: Please submit all applications for EMS course approval to the <u>Online EMS Education Approval System</u>. 	
Trauma Committee	S. Gregg	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met in November • Trauma registry is collecting data and is up to date. • Protocols discussed: Hemorrhage control (Approved), Needle decompression (support given). Level 3 trauma centers being designated in CT; New Britain, UCONN, Greenwich 	

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Action Items	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
Old Business	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PREE & Prot Custody forms update, G. Allard • Bylaw revisions, I. Smith, R. Guthrie 	
New Business		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R. Calciano regarding EMS Workgroup • Goals needed for 2023 • Annual report due in January 	
Next Meeting	Dec. 28		
Adjournment		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:37 am 	Motion to adjourn

Respectively submitted by:

Joel Demers and Angela Pugliese, OEMS

EMS Advisory Board Upcoming Meeting Schedule:

2022

Dec 28

2023

Jan 25 | Feb 22 | Mar 22 | April 26 | May 24 | June 28 | July 26 | Aug 23 | Sept 27 | Oct 25 | Nov 22 | Dec 27